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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: ECOSOC: US PROPOSAL ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

REF: (A) PARIS 21354; (B) MYERSON/VREELAND TELECON

1. EMBASSY CONTINUED ITS LOBBYING ACTIVITY FOR ECOSOC ILLICIT PAYMENTS RESOLUTION JULY 23 IN TWO CONVERSATIONS WITH QUAI UN DIVISION ECON AFFAIRS OFFICER DEJAMMET. HE CONFIRMED THAT GOF WILL NOT OPPOSE US INITIATIVE.

2. WHEN WE PRESSED FOR MORE POSITIVE ATTITUDE, DEJAMMET SAID QUAI'S QUALMS ARE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND LEGAL. POLITICAL PROBLEM IS THAT LDC'S ARE HOSTILE; WE SAID THIS MAY BE CHANGING. HE SAID FRENCH DELEGATE ROUGET IN GENEVA WAS AUTHORIZED TO DISCUSS GOF'S LEGAL AND ECONOMIC OBJECTIONS WITH US DELEGATION.

3. DEJAMMET INDICATED INFORMALLY THAT FRENCH MIGHT SUPPORT WORKING GROUP US DESIRES IF ITS TERMS OF REFER-
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ENCE ARE BROADER THAN SIMPLY DRAFTING CONVENTION. EMB-

OFF STRESSED THAT USG WILL NOT ACCEPT STUDY GROUP. WE
AGREED THAT FURTHER DIALOGUE SHOULD BE BETWEEN DELEGA-
TIONS IN GENEVA.
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